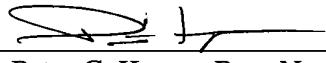


REMARKS

Applicant's attorney respectfully solicits a Notice of Allowance in this application. Applicant's attorney believes that no additional fees are due, but the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additionally required fees to deposit account 08-2025. Applicant's attorney urges the Examiner to telephone if a conversation could expedite prosecution.

Respectfully submitted,

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